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ARE PAYING THE CLAIMS

Sanitary Fire Losses
Being Settled.

THE FORTUNATE INSURED

Companies Having no "Civil Author-
ities" Clause Disbursing
Gold.

The fire insurance companies are
paying up the claims of policy holders
who lost their property in the gen-
eral destructive fire of January 20 last.
A number of discontinuances have
been filed in many of the cases on
record in the Circuit Court, and the
reason for this is because the insur-
ance companies believe that it will
pay them in the long run to make
peace with their patrons and look else-
where for their reimbursement.

Attorney F. M. Brooks, who has filed
about fifteen fire insurance claims in
the Circuit Court, said yesterday that
the companies were willing to pay up
the claims if the suits were discon-
tinued. The agents of the Royal, New
Zealand and the Hamburg-Bremen are
among those who have compromised.
"They are paying dollar for dollar
on the amount of the claims
presented by my clients," said Mr.
Brooks, "together with interest from
two months after the fire occurred.
The fire insurance companies that do
not have the New York standard form
of clause which states that insurance
companies are not liable for fires oc-
curring directly or indirectly by order
of the civil authorities, are the ones
that have agreed to pay. Those com-
panies who were fortunate enough to
have that clause inserted in their pol-
icies when the papers were made out
are free from liability.

"The big fire of January 20 was in-
directly caused by the original order
which was to the effect that certain
buildings in the vicinity of Kaumaka-
pili Church should be burned to the
ground. The fire spread, got beyond
the control of the firemen, and the
whole of Chinatown was burned, as
every one knows.

"The payment of these claims means
much to my clients. Almost without
means after their property was de-
stroyed, and depending upon their in-
surance money, which was denied
them for such a long time, they were
compelled to borrow money, pay in-
terest, and found themselves generally
in the hole. Now that the end of the
year is near at hand this money comes
in very handy in paying up their
bills."

A HORRIBLE DEATH.

Japanese Crushed Under Heavy Ma-
chinery at Eleele.

A Japanese laborer at Eleele met
with a horrible death on Tuesday at
the wharf. A six-ton piece of ma-
chinery which was being loaded on a
car was left standing upright, having
been discharged from the cargo of the
Nihau on her last trip. The railroad,
to which it had been turned over, had
sent down a car for its removal.
The Japanese stooped down beside
the upright piece of machinery to fix
some gear and while he was stooping
over it tipped over and fell upon him,
crushing his body flat, and mutilating
him beyond all recognition. Pieces of
his body were carried away in a sack.

Christmas at St. Andrew's.

The special Christmas service of the
Second Congregation of St. Andrew's
Cathedral will be on Tuesday, next
Christmas day, at 9:30 o'clock in the
morning, when an elaborate program
of music will be presented. The choir
will sing a carol, "Angels Bright," by
G. W. Warren, a Te Deum in F by A.
J. Holden, and Jubilate in B Flat by
H. J. Stewart. The anthem will be
"Peace On Earth," by Sir John Stain-
er. But the feature of the service will
be a solo by Mrs. Allan White, who
will sing Gounod's "Ave Maria," with
violin, piano and organ accompani-
ment. This lady has a rare talent to
voice, and it will be a rare treat to
hear her in this number. The opening
and closing voluntaries will be by or-
gan and orchestra. The old favorite
Christmas hymns will be sung.

Certificates of Election.

All certificates of election for Sena-
tors and Representatives have been
issued by Secretary of the Territory
Cooper, and should now be in the
hands of those elected to the Legisla-
ture. A committee of Independents
headed by R. N. Boyd, waited on the
Secretary to inquire why a certificate
had not been issued to Senator J. B.
Kaoili, of Hawaii, as he had not re-
ceived it up to December 14. Mr.
Cooper informed them that it had been
forwarded and was probably now in
his hands. Mr. Cooper also stated that
there was no reason why Dr. N. Rus-
sell should not be in possession of his
certificate, as the same had been sent
to him sometime ago.

Cannon at Laie.

Chief Counsellor George Q. Cannon,
of the Mormon Church, is now the
guest of President Woolley, at Laie,
where he is visiting the Mormon col-
ony at that place. Mr. Cannon and his
party intend to remain with Mr.
Woolley until the latter part of this
week, when they will return for the
Christmas festivities to Honolulu, as
guests of A. Fernandez. A visit to
Mau is planned for Wednesday of
next week. The party leave for Salt
Lake on January 5th.

Dr. Noblitt Dismissed.

Dr. Noblitt appeared in the Police
Court yesterday and asked for a nolle
prosequi from the charge of practicing
medicine without a license. Dr.
Noblitt was discharged from the ap-
pealed case in the Circuit Court which
was tried in the Police Court a short
time ago and in view of the fact the

defendant felt justified in requesting a
nolle prosequi. He was dismissed.

Small Thief Caught.

A small boy was caught in the act of
stealing a morning newspaper from the
steps of a residence yesterday about
dawn. For some time past newspaper
thieves have been in evidence and men
were set to watch. The boy, whose
name is Kalliwai, was caught red-
handed and when he was accosted he
fled. After a spirited chase he was cap-
tured and taken to prison. His case
will come before the Police Court this
morning.

Fritz to Leave Town.

The case of John Fritz, vagrant,
after three continuances, was finally
settled yesterday afternoon. Upon a
solemn promise to leave the Islands at
the first opportunity, Fritz was allowed
to go. He is the man who was cap-
tured by Officer Apana a few days since
and who told the hard luck story of the
lost trunk, which he alleged was car-
ried away by the Mariposa.

HONOLULU MEAT COMPANY OPENS

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The thirty employees of the Honolulu
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all day yesterday and the day before
attending the rush of patrons and sup-
plying their needs. The market opened
Wednesday with a splendid display of
supplies in all departments, neatly and
attractively arranged.

The refrigerating conveniences of the
new market deserve special and favor-
able comment. Mr. Rostin, manager,
states that he traveled all through the
Eastern cities of the United States pre-
vious to selecting the refrigerating ap-
paratus, examining different refrigerat-
ors and comparing their relative val-
ues. The refrigerating rooms are par-
titioned into different departments and
fitted up with glass sides. Poultry,
game and creamery supplies are kept
in one room in different compartments
and two other refrigerators contain the
meat, fish and other perishable goods.
Four long counters with marble slab
tops give a handsome and wholesome
appearance to the well-aided, spacious
salesroom, and at the back of the mar-
ket are different kinds of machinery
and apparatus necessary in the cooking
and smoking of meats, the manufac-
ture of sausage, etc.

Everything about the place is clean
and wholesome and entirely modern as
to arrangement and convenience. Hon-
olulu is to be congratulated upon the
new acquisition, which is up to date and
would not suffer by comparison with
the best San Francisco markets.

BY SECRET CIPHER.

The Earl of Rosslyn has published a
sprightly record of his adventures in
South Africa under the title of "Twice
Captured."

As is well known, Lord Rosslyn was
taken prisoner by the Boers and sent to
Pretoria. While there he was visited
by a friendly Orange Free State of-
ficial, who one day "fainted" in the pris-
on to some purpose. Lord Rosslyn thus
related the incident: "As he fell over
me and I helped to carry him into the
doctor's bed he whispered hurriedly,
'I'm all right. I have something for
you tomorrow—important!' and then
he recovered as quickly as he had faint-
ed and I saw that the Hollander guard
had noticed nothing. Next day he
came back by appointment to see the
doctor and walking up to me he said,
'Would you not like a book, Lord Ros-
slyn?' I thanked him very much and he
handed me 'Uncle Tom's Cabin.' As he
did so he whispered quickly, 'Page 100.'
and then he was attended to, by the
doctor and went away. I wondered at
my curious visitor and immediately
opened the book. For a long time I
could see nothing, but on looking close-
ly at the page he mentioned and the
one following I noticed little dots over
some of the letters. I guessed that this
was a message of some importance and
I immediately set to work to decipher
it. The following is how it read:
'I have it on authentic information
that General Cronje buried two big
guns and a quantity of ammunition
under the graves of his dead. The
guns are in the long grave pointing
east and west. Two wagon loads of
ammunition have been buried between
Kroonstadt and Winburg by burghers.
Please communicate. From Ernest
Distin, Intelligence Department, under
Captain Lawrence. General French's
column.' Little did I think that I should
read 'Uncle Tom's Cabin' in such pec-
uliar language or under such remark-
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